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Colquhoun, Wilson, Mill And Haggerty Elected



GORDON L. COLQUHOUN



P. LEROY WILSON



VICTOR J. MILL JR.



FRANKLIN K. HAGGERTY

Permanent Tenure Of Office For Town Clerk

Gordon L. Colquhoun was re-elected to the school committee and P. Leroy Wilson returned to the board of public works in Monday's election which also gave Victor J. Mill Jr. an 84-vote victory over William S. Titcomb in the board of public works contest, and endorsed Franklin K. Haggerty as the new member of the housing authority.

In the only other contest on the ballot Police Chief George A. Dane and George N. Sparks were elected constables while George B. Brown and Chester J. S. Harnden battled for third place right down to the last precinct with the former winning by a 44-vote margin. Seven offices were uncontested, the present incumbents being re-elected.

A majority of the 2862 of Andover's 7318 registered voters who went to the polls also voted tenure of office for Town Clerk George H. Winslow. The vote was 1276 to 1145 with 441 blanks.

In the contest for school committee Colquhoun led by a good margin with Trial Justice Richard K. Gordon and Robert C. Vogt running close all the way. The latter got a big vote in the Ballardvale precinct where he lives.

In the contest for the board of public works Wilson was given a splendid endorsement in Precinct 1 which carried him through to first place. The race between Mill and Titcomb for the second vacancy on the board was in doubt until the last returns were in, when only the narrow margin of 81 votes separated the contestants.

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Pay Final Tribute To Beloved Priest

An outpouring of parishioners of St. Augustine's church joined with clergy of the Augustinian Order and of Greater Lawrence parishes in a final tribute Monday morning to the Rev. Matthew F. McDonald, O.S.A., who died Thursday, Mar. 1 after a few days' illness.

Fr. McDonald, assistant pastor of St. Augustine's, was stricken at the rectory Monday and removed Tuesday for treatment to the Bon Secours hospital, where he died early Thursday morning.

Sunday afternoon the body was taken from the rectory to the church at 4 p.m., when the office of the dead was recited by the priests, after which the parishioners filed past the bier. Again in the evening the church was crowded when at 9 o'clock the rosary was recited.

Following two earlier masses Monday morning the funeral services were conducted at 10 o'clock when a solemn high mass of re-

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Taxpayers' Assn. Approves Proposed Salary Increases

Light Vote Cast In Town Election

One of the lightest votes in recent years was cast at the annual election Monday when only 2862 of Andover's 7318 registered voters went to the polls.

This turnout of only 39.1 percent of the voters was attributed mainly to the absence of contests for other offices, seven of them being uncontested.

The light vote was counted quickly by officers in all precincts and the tabulations were completed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow before 9 p.m.

Precinct 3 from Shawsheen Village was the first to report, arriving at the town house at

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Art Students Win Honors

Art students of Punchard high school had 20 paintings accepted and were awarded 12 gold achievement keys at the recent regional scholastic art exhibition in Boston.

Students of Miss Frances Dalton they received honors as follows: Alan Hughes, two gold keys; Robert Fredrickson, George Gilman, 2, Janet Fieldhouse, Betty Gigas, Peter Ducot, Alan Wadman, Anne Lord, Patricia Coryell, Frances Ratyna. Other students whose work was hung included Eugene Russell, John Hill, Anna Nelson, Gay Pierce, Ronald Muise and Neil Patnaude.

This is the third time that Punchard and Junior high school students have been honored in scholastic art shows. Five students were honored in previous national scholastic exhibitions at Pittsburg.

The Andover Taxpayers' association, while taking some exception to the work of the special salary committee, approves the proposed salary increases for town employees.

In its annual report sent to voters of the town regarding its study of the town warrant it warns that every time we vote to spend \$20,000 we add \$1 to the tax rate.

As a further service to the voters it has taken every article and indicated after each the amount it would add to the tax rate.

Regarding the salary question it states: "A committee was appointed to study and report on the salaries of town employees. It was our hope that this committee would discuss its findings with the finance committee before making its conclusions."

"The Taxpayers Assn. also would have welcomed discussion of this report with the special committee but has not had this opportunity. Therefore, we must base our discussion on reports published in newspapers."

"We believe that some increase in wages is inevitable, and that most, if not all of our town employees work well and conscientiously and will earn whatever increases are granted."

"However, we believe that a closer study would have revealed many inequalities in rewards to those in town service; and we believe that the special committee would have rendered greater service by closer investigation of the compensation of individuals and groups, and to have, thereby, based their report on a 'job evaluation'"

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Annual Scout-O-Ral To Be Held Mar. 31

The fifth annual Scout-O-Ral of the Andover district, Boy Scouts of America, will be held at 1.30 p.m., Saturday, Mar. 31, at the Case memorial cage, Phillips academy.

The paper collection to finance the prizes will be held Sunday, Mar. 18, starting at 1 p.m. All leaders and committeemen are asked to bring cars for small lot collections.

Punchard Wins Opener In Basketball Tourney



Bevy of Punchard high's fair rooters waiting at the railroad station Tuesday noon en route to Boston where they cheered the Blue and Gold to victory in the first round of the Tech tournament. Rear, from left to right, Mary Fountain, Shirley Murray, Marilyn Mozeen, Helen Andrews, Bettie McMillan; front, Muffie Southwick, Mary Alice Shea and Lucille Sherry. (Look Photo)

31 Parking Meters For Punchard Ave.

The selectmen Monday night voted to purchase 31 new parking meters to be installed on both sides of Punchard avenue from Main to Bartlet streets.

The meters will be the same type now in use by the town. They cost \$59 each. It is planned to pay for them out of the parking meter account which is now in the vicinity of \$10,000.

William J. Young, 44 Elm st., was drawn as a juror to serve at the session of superior civil court opening at Salem Apr. 2.

The application of Ellsworth H. Lewis, 1 Sherbourne st., to store gasoline in the amount of 4000 gallons on the land of the petitioner, was approved by the selectmen and by the fire chief.

Notice was also received that George E. White, president of Fred's Lunch, was the new manager of the lunch appointed by the board of directors of the corporation.

The selectmen organized at the opening of the meeting with the same officers as before.

Playing a steady game through four closely fought periods Punchard opened the Class C competition in the Tech basketball tournament at the Boston Garden Tuesday afternoon by winning 60 to 53 over Hanover, South Shore champions.

With Capt. Charlie Dwyer, Charlie McCullom and Sid Watson leading the attack the Blue and Gold started to pull away from the South Shore champions in the second period to attain a lead that kept them out in front until the final whistle.

As the result of the opening games, Punchard will meet Provincetown at 2.30 p.m. Friday.

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Fire Loss \$26,752 During Past Year

Andover's fire loss for the past year was \$26,752 according to the annual report of Fire Chief C. Edward Buchan. The fire loss in 1949 was \$15,942.

The department last year answered 68 bell alarms and 240 still alarms and ambulance calls totalled 577 of which 523 were answered by the two ambulances. Others were answered by the chief's car and the deputy's car.

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The estimated cost of new buildings for which permits were issued during February was \$2300., and for alterations and additions \$12,500.

Permits for new buildings were issued as follows: Mrs. Earle H. Shaw Jr., Foster circle, garage; Henry A. Couture, Greenwood rd., trailer residence. For additions and alterations: Carl Stevens, Virginia rd., add rooms & bath; Nuncio Christaldi, Allen st., add porch; Henry Gallant, County rd., storage room; Emery Basford, Holt rd., remodel house.

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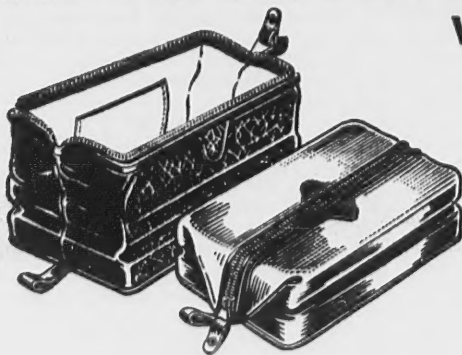
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NEW BOOKS

Among the new books at the library are the following:

Becoming American Jaworski
An attempt to tech techniques for adjusting the serious problems that arise between first and second generation Americans. The immigrant must adjust to a new world and language, and also to the lack of understanding between himself and his American born children. Good for adult groups and classes.

Boswell's London Journal, 1762-1763 Boswell

Published for the first time, this 200 year old journal of James Boswell covered about nine months in his life during his twenty-second year, when he had been allowed to leave Scotland and live in London. Amazingly frank, he tells of high and low life, of a visit to the House Of Lords to hear George III make his address; of a cockfight, a public execution, etc. Here are his conversations with David Garrick, Thomas Sheridan and others, including his meeting with Dr. Johnson.

We Followed Our Stars Cook

Music lovers will enjoy this success story of two young English girls who wished on their stars, saved their money and found their dreams coming true when they were able to travel to many parts of the world where their music "loves" were performing. Many unusual friendships were formed along the way.

They Came Here First McNickle
Another in the Peoples Of America series is this epic of the American Indian.

Administration Of American Foreign Affairs McCamy

Because the average citizen realizes that the manner in which American foreign affairs are handled is of great importance to his life and welfare, this explanation of how the work of foreign policy gets done is important.

Our Ally, The People Of Russia

Wood
In 1929 William A. Wood went to Russia as chief engineer of the American Brass Company. For twelve years he went everywhere, setting up new plants, improving old ones and training young men. His book about his knowledge of the Russian people is personal, not political; that of an engineer, not a commentator.

A few books about other parts of the world:

Made In Poland, Jarecka; **Introducing Africa**, Wells; **United States and Japan**, Reischauer; **My Retreat From Russia**, Petrov; **Americans From Norway**, Bergmann; **Charles Dickens**, And **Early Victorian England**, Cruikshank; **No Cause For Alarm (England)**, Cowles; **Understanding The Japanese**, Spencer; **Sweden The Middle Way**, Childs; **Island Going**, Atkinson; **This Is Germany**, Settel; **A Time To Keep (Transylvania)**, Neagoe; **The Saskatchewan**, Campbell; **Rome Today**, Rothery.

Life's Picture History Of World War II.

More than 100 Life and Time photographers, artists and correspondents helped make this picture history of a war which, in a military sense, came to an end in September, 1945.

Abbot Notes...

The combined choruses of Governor Dummer academy and Abbot academy will be heard in a concert at Abbot academy at 8.15 p. m. Saturday, Mar. 10, in Davis hall. The concert was postponed from an earlier date for precautionary reasons of health during the recent prevalence of influenza in the communities. The concert is open to the public, and there is no admission charge.

Arthur W. Sager will direct the Governor Dummer Glee club and Miss Kate Friskin will direct the Abbot Fidelio society.

ON RIFLE TEAM

Clinton Shaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Shaw of Wildwood rd., is a member of the Norwich university rifle team that set a new range record of 1413 points in a recent meet. Shaw had a score of 279. The Norwich riflemen will compete in Boston, Mar. 10.

COMPOSES MUSIC

Miss Ruth Anne Chadwick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chadwick of Lowell st., composed the music of the sophomore class song at Mt. Holyoke college, which was presented at the annual Soph skit on March 2.

Toll Call Change May Be Delayed

Although the requirements in material for the armed forces were running much heavier than was anticipated a few months ago, Manager Frank P. Desmond of the N. E. Tel & Tel. Co., for this area says that they are not likely to seriously delay the elimination of toll charges between Lawrence and Andover.

"If circumstances beyond our control force a delay," he said, "we still can look for elimination of toll charges between the two exchanges very early next year." Mr. Desmond also added that as soon as a definite date when the new equipment can be installed and placed in operation, local telephone users will be advised.

JUNIOR DAUGHTERS

The organization meeting of the Junior Catholic Daughters of Court St. Monica C. D. of A. was held Mar. 1 in St. Augustine's school hall.

Officers elected were: President, Patricia Bergeron; vice president, Sally Sutcliffe; secretary, Jacqueline Murphy; reporter, Mary Morrissey. Installation will take place at 2 p. m., Sunday, Mar. 11. All girls interested in joining must attend this meeting.

WEDDING INTENTIONS

The following wedding intentions have been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow: Mervyn M. Manning Jr., Porter rd., and Elizabeth T. George, 78 Chestnut st.

Carl R. Fitzgerald, Fiske st., Tewksbury and June M. Henderson, Haggett's Pond rd.

MARRIAGE RETURN

The following marriage return has been filed at the office of Town Clerk George H. Winslow: William Dyer, 34 Walker ave., and Ellen T. Murphy, 22 Smith st., Lawrence, married Mar. 4, at St. Augustine's church, Lawrence, by the Rev. Joseph J. Conroy.

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Five Inductees From Andover

Five young men of Andover were among the 71 inductees from Greater Lawrence who left from draft board 8 Monday for the army base at Boston, en route to Fort Devens.

They were Ernest J. Verette Jr., 99 Elm st., John F. Robinson, 83 Pine st., Herbert T. Peterson, 79 Pine st., Alexander W. Stewart, 3 Temple pl., and Phillip G. Webb, 8 Woburn st., Ballardvale.

Lt. Buerki Recalled To Active Service

William C. Buerki of Lowell st., West Andover, formerly first lieutenant in the 82nd Airborne division who saw service in the European theatre during the last war, has just been recalled to active service.

Lt. Buerki, who will leave Mar. 12, to report as ordnance officer at Camp Campbell, Ky., is married and has two daughters, Sheryll aged one year, and Barbara, one month.

POSTPONE PAPER DRIVE

The V. F. W. paper drive scheduled by the post to be held Mar. 18, has been cancelled because the boy scout drive is also scheduled for that date. An announcement will be made in the near future regarding the new date of the post paper drive.



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Other assisting priests were the Rev. Henry B. Smith, O.S.A., master of ceremonies; the Rev. Albert C. Shannon, O.S.A., and the Rev. Francis X. Smith, O.S.A., of Merrimack college, acolytes and the Rev. Joseph A. Flaherty, O.S.A., thurifer.

The Very Rev. Vincent A. McQuade, president of Merrimack college, delivered the eulogy and a large number of priests were in attendance. Burial was in the Augustinian lot in St. Mary's cemetery.

Sisters of Notre Dame from St. Augustine's parochial school and Bon Secours sisters were in attendance at the mass. The ushers were William A. and James D. Doherty.

Members of the Andover Catholic Men's club present were: William F. Lucey, president; Michael A. Herlihy, Robert A. Leete, Frank J. O'Connor, William C. Collins, Thomas E. Colgan, James E. Greeley, Timothy J. Scanlon, George H. Dumont, Frank J. Killilea, Frederick E. Griffin, Joseph A. McCarthy, John H. Kelly, Cornelius P. Cussen, Augustine P. Sullivan, Robert A. Walsh, Joseph Tanguay, Edward A. Rice, Gerald Begley, Thomas M. O'Riordan, Justin R. Curry, Leo Walsh, William P. Doyle, Daniel Lancaster, David F. Murphy, John Nelligan, Harold E. Heseltine, Frank Twomey and Daniel A. Murphy.

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Members of the Sacred Heart sodality who attended: Mrs. Katherine Burke, Mrs. Michael Brennan, Mrs. William J. Doherty, Mrs. James J. Sullivan, Mrs. Peter Cunningham, Mrs. Mary R. Maroney, Mrs. Charles Robinson, Mrs. Sarah Sime, Margaret Sullivan, Sophia Caulfield, Mrs. Walter J. O'Connell, Mary McKeon, Grace McKeon, Mrs. A. P. Sullivan, Mrs. William Coupe, Mrs. Rose Derbyshire, Mrs. Mary Walsh, Mrs. Christine Sullivan, Mrs. John McGilvray, Elizabeth Doherty, Agnes Doherty, Mrs. Timothy Daly, Mrs. Alice Kirwin, Mrs. James Welch, Mrs. Daniel Lyons, Mrs. James Coleman, Mrs. James McColl and Mrs. Charles Bailey.

Representing Andover council, 1078, Knights of Columbus: Grand Knight Edward A. Doyle, Francis T. Kelley, Augustine Sullivan, Stephan Boland, John Nelligan, Timothy J. Mahoney, William L. McDonald, Michael Lynch, William A. Doherty, Patrick Barrett, John A. O'Connell, Daniel Hartigan, Frank P. Markey and James E. Greeley.

Representing the Newman club at Phillips academy were Thomas Regan, Charles McLaughlin and John Twomey. Also attending the mass were members of the Junior Catholic Daughters of America.

Sergeant W. R. Hickey and John Deyermund of the Andover police department directed traffic and provided an escort for the funeral procession to the cemetery.

Fr. McDonald was born in Manhattan, N. Y., July 1, 1899, and began his studies for the priesthood in June, 1918. He was graduated from Villanova college in 1922 and ordained Aug. 2, 1925.

In 1938 he came to Andover after serving two years in St. Rita's college, Chicago. Prior to that he had taught in the Augustinian House at the Catholic university, Washington, D. C. He was one of the founders and a trustee of Merrimack college.

One of the most respected men in the Augustinian order he was a director of the Province of St. Thomas and a member of the Augustinian council. He was feted here last August on the occasion of his silver jubilee as a priest.

Surviving are a brother, John McDonald, and two sisters, Mrs. Rose Fogerty and Mrs. Anne Wolfe, all of New York.

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Downstairs

Punchard Wins Opener In Tourney

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in the semi-finals. Finals in all classes will be played Saturday night.

Punchard

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Watson, lf	4	2	10
Dwyer, rf	7	3	17
McCullom c	6	2	14
Gerrish, lg	3	1	7
Dolan	1	1	3
Stack, rg	4	1	9
Total	25	10	60

Hanover

	G	F	P
McWilliams, lf	6	2	14
Hammond, rf	5	5	15
Ellis	0	0	0
Dauksevics, c	3	1	7
Peterson, lg	6	2	14
Henderson, rg	0	2	2
Woods	0	1	1
Total	20	13	53

Periods	1	2	3	4	T
Punchard.....	11	19	17	13	60
Hanover.....	11	12	16	14	53

The individual scoring record for the season is as follows:

	Floor	Foul	Pts.
Dwyer.....	127	56	310
Watson.....	111	46	268
McCullom.....	70	36	177
Stack.....	62	50	174
Gerrish.....	35	15	85
Dolan.....	23	8	54
Ross.....	16	8	40
Lawrence.....	8	3	19
Whitley.....	7	1	15
Wilson.....	3	3	9
Abercrombie.....	1	4	6
Valz.....	1	1	3
Totals.....	464	231	1159

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DAY and NIGHT



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AT AIRCRAFT SCHOOL

Capt. John W. Anderson, son of Mrs. Burt M. Anderson of 81 Chestnut st., is one of the air force officers selected to take the aircraft controllers course at Panama City, Fla.

CANCER DRIVE

Massachusetts citizens will be asked to contribute a total of \$530,166 to the continuing war against cancer when the American Cancer society's Massachusetts division launches its month-long fund raising crusade Apr. 1.

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D. A. R. MEETING

The regular meeting of Priscilla Abbot chapter, N. S. D. A. R., will be held at 2.30 p. m. Tuesday, Mar. 13, in the South church vestry. A colored film on Louisiana will be shown and the public is cordially invited to attend. Candy will be on sale.

Political Advertisement

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Employees of the Shawsheen Mills registering to donate blood to the Red Cross bloodmobile prior to its visit there last Monday. In front, Emma Briggs, R. N., in charge of registration, and Gloria Gosselin; standing, Francis J. Rodericks, personnel manager; Mary Stewart and James Calder. (Look Photo)

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Red Cross Holds Report Day

With the cooperation of the Andover National bank, Red Cross report day was highly successful.

Chapter treasurer, John E. Gilcreast, assisted by Horace Thomas and E. Taber McFarlin checked returns and gave receipts to solicitors while Mrs. Warren Lewis, residential chairman, and area captains checked folders of the 107 workers during the day.

A final report day from 12 to 3 p. m., Monday, Mar. 12, has been announced. All solicitors are asked to complete their returns by that time.

Do You Know Massachusetts?

DO YOU KNOW THAT... Of the defense contracts publicly reported, Massachusetts producers during the seven months ending January 31, received orders amounting to \$77,291,000, in which were included \$11,829,000 of electrical communications equipment, \$7,002,000 of woolen textiles, \$6,501,000 of chemicals, \$5,288,000 of leather footwear, \$4,403,000 of wearing apparel, \$3,763,000 of ordnance, \$2,066,000 of rubber footwear, \$1,636,000 of parachutes, and lesser orders for numerous other products, as reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of Boston. . . The average interest rate on the \$3,736,656,761 of deposits in Massachusetts savings banks as of last October 31 was 2.18% per year. . . Up to February 10, fifteen Massachusetts municipalities had asked for reservations for federal funds for slum clearance and urban redevelopment surveys under Title I of the national housing act, and of these, Boston, Cambridge, Fall River, Revere, Woburn and Worcester had received approval of advances for such studies. . . Although the federal government owns 23.9% of all the land in the United States, it has only 52,671 acres in Massachusetts or 1.04% of the Commonwealth's 5,040,320 acres of land area. . . The development and industrial commission has published a detailed listing of factory space for sale or lease throughout Massachusetts. . . The Town of East Bridgewater has an article in the warrant to establish a planning board and to prepare a zoning by-law.

(Compiled by State Planning Board)

Boosters Seek New Members

The membership drive inaugurated by the Boosters' club is reported progressing most satisfactorily.

Since the fall of 1948, members of this organization have given their time to render a public service to the interests of Pynchard high school. As a result of fund raising programs the club had been able to spend well over \$10,000 to further activities at the school.

Football and basketball teams have been equipped with uniforms, the clubs have been feted at banquets, and additional bleachers rented to seat overflow crowds of football fans. The bleachers have since been purchased by the town.

Needing new members to carry on its ambitious program the club is engaged in this drive now. However, all citizens of the town cannot be solicited personally, and it is urged that those interested in assisting the constructive work of the club send the membership fee of \$1 to James P. Christie, treasurer.

Describes Care Of Woody Plants

Richard H. Fillmore of the Arnold Arboretum spoke to members of the Andover Garden club Tuesday morning, March 6, at the Andover Inn on "Home propagation of Woody Plants."

Propagation by seed, cuttings, grafting, and Chinese air-layering were demonstrated and seed treatment and soil sterilization for control of damping-off were explained by Mr. Fillmore.

On Wednesday, Mar. 21, at 7.30 p. m., Prof. Paul W. Dempsey will be present at the Memorial Hall library to discuss the control of insects in the garden. Gardeners should keep this date in mind as this will be an opportunity to learn the latest solutions of insect problems.

TO BE DEFINITOR

The Rev. Henry B. Smith, O. S. A., left for Villanova Wednesday to qualify as a definitor in the Augustinian order. He is an alternate definitor. He will succeed the late Rev. Matthew F. McDonald in that capacity. Fr. Smith will return to his duties at St. Augustine's church after qualifying for his new office.

ON DEAN'S LIST

Miss Elna M. Fone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fone, 46 Clark rd., Ballardvale, a student at Lesley college, was among those on the dean's list for the first semester of the school year.

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Total arrests in Andover during 1950 numbered 263 of which 138 were for speeding, 65 for drunkenness, 52 for auto law violations, 14 for operating under the influence, and 5 for operating to endanger. In 1949 the total arrests were 183, of which 35 were for speeding.

In his annual report Chief George A. Dane shows that in disposing of the cases 55 were convicted in the Lawrence district court, 157 convicted in the local court, \$1577 was paid in fines in district court, \$1005 paid in fines in the local court.

In the past year the department also sent 227 cards to the registry of motor vehicles on motor violations. Of this number the registry suspended or revoked the licenses of 46 Andover residents and 28 non residents.

BOOSTERS MEETING

The Boosters' club will meet at 7.45 p. m., Wednesday, Mar. 14 in the Legion hall. Chairman J. Everett Collins urges all new and old members to attend. There will be reports on the membership drive and other business will be transacted.

IN COLLEGE PLAY

Miss Edith Gordon, a freshman at Drury college, Springfield, Mo., appeared in the college production "The Devil and Daniel Webster," which was presented Feb. 23 and 24. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Gordon of Brechin terrace.

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The guy delivering himself of the above oration looked out the window of the 8:00 with, I thought, more than a jaundiced eye. He was one of the

regulars and ordinarily a smiling, joking Pollyanna — the kind of guy you did not want to meet so early in the morning unless you'd had two cups of coffee.

"Look at this car's windows," he continued doily as the conductor punched his ticket, "they are filthy!"

"That's right, Mister," said the conductor, "it's hard to keep our windows clean this time of year even with our big modern washing machines on the job. This car's scheduled for the washer today—but even if it went through the washer morning and evening we still couldn't keep up with the Merrie Month of March!"

"That's what I've been telling the boys," my sour-faced friend remarked, "as far as I'm concerned, you can drop March. . ."

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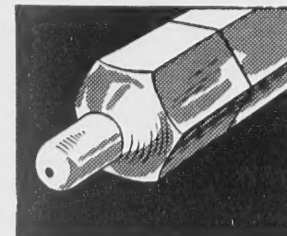
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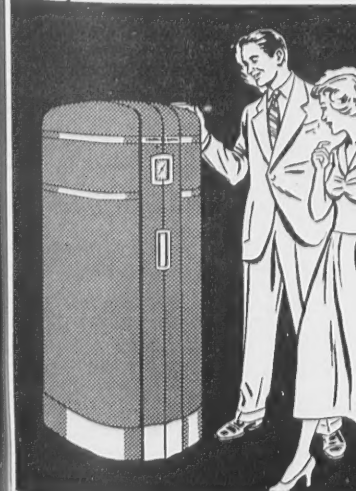


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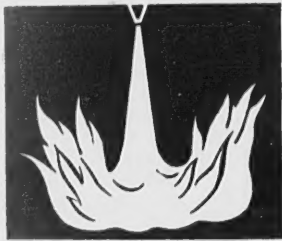


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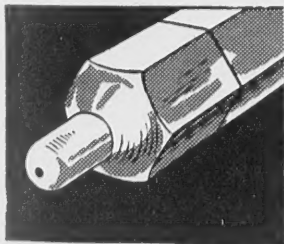
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The Andover Service club will hold its annual auction sale meeting tonight at the Andover Country club. A smorgasbord supper will be served and the sale will start immediately afterward.

Each member is asked to bring a new article for the sale. Harold Heseltine is chairman of the event, assisted by Will G. Brown, Wesley H. Estey, John D. Hill and Guy B. Howe Jr. James R. Mosher will be auctioneer.

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What Our Readers Say —

SUPERLATIVES DANGEROUS

Editor of the Townsman:
Superlatives are dangerous words.

I read on page 3 of the Townsman for March 1, "Citizens should remember that economy is the first and most important of virtues—and that public debt is the greatest danger to be feared."

If you had just picked out one virtue and one danger; if you had just said that economy is a greater virtue than patriotism, or that the issuing of United States bonds (which is public debt) is a greater danger than any danger that Stalin will either bomb an American city or send a Russian regiment, openly or disguised as "volunteers", into any country that we aim to protect, —then I could comfortably have sat back and watched the debate that would have followed.

But when you think of all the virtues and all the dangers: when you think of piety, kindness, courage, industry, chastity, patience, truthfulness, open-mindedness, even-handed justice, and more, and say that economy is a more important virtue than any of these; when you think of bigotry, race prejudice, bureaucracy, militarism, drink, gambling, corruption in government, and more, and say that public debt is more to be dreaded than any one of these,—boy, I think you are getting it pretty steep.

Even if, addressing us as "citizens," you meant by virtues only the civic virtues, still I think it was audacious to put economy at the very top of the whole lot.

However, I agree that economy, particularly in government, is a virtue too much neglected; and if the government is going to spend money through a hose, as seems to be the inclination at Washington just now, it ought to be done by whackingly heavy taxation and not by selling bonds.

Steven T. Byington.
Ballardvale, March 1, 1951

Parties Planned By Mothers' Club

The Andover Mothers' club met recently at the home of Mrs. George C. Napier, 64 Maple ave. The usual monthly dinner party was planned.

A donation was given to the polio drive and an additional amount given to the annual milk contribution for underprivileged children at the public schools.

A penny social was planned to be held at 7 p. m. Tuesday, Mar. 13, at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Ferrier, 6 Maple ave. The committee in charge is: Mrs. Annie Davis, Mrs. Albert Cole Sr., Mrs. Louise Simeone and Mrs. Elizabeth Ferrier.

The second party will be held at 7 p. m. Wednesday, Mar. 21, at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Gallagher, 49 Essex st. The committee consists of Mrs. Percy Dole, Mrs. George C. Napier, Mrs. Robert Souter and Mrs. E. Gallagher.

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The engagement of Miss Phyllis Rapa, 22 Riverina rd., to George F. Avery, 3rd, son of Mr. and Mrs. George F. Avery, 2 Sterling st., was recently announced by her parents, Atty. and Mrs. James R. Menzie.

Miss Rapa is attending a Boston school where she is majoring in the dental course. Mr. Avery is a graduate of the New England School of Art and is serving with the armed forces.

There are no definite plans for the wedding.

McDougal — Dowd

Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Dowd of Chestnut st. announces the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary J. Dowd, to Andrew J. McDougal Jr. of Hartford Conn., son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. McDougal of North Andover.

Miss Dowd is a graduate of Pynchard high school and Bryant and Stratton Business school, Boston. She is a member of the Proparvulus club of Boston.

Mr. McDougal is a graduate of both Lowell and Feener Textile Institutes. He served with the army air force in England during World War II.

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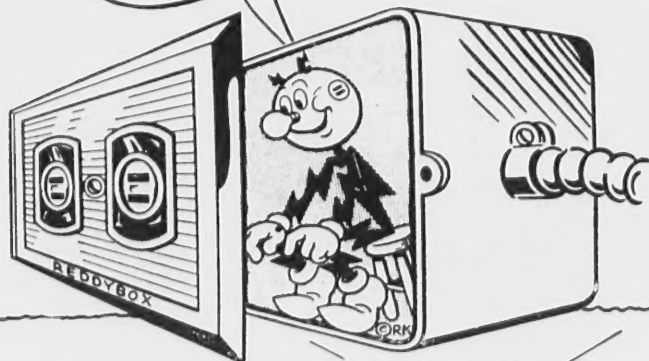
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Mrs. Elsa Guild, 37 Balmoral st., recently returned from visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. Arthur E. Powell in Key West, Fla. Mrs. Powell, the former Janet Guild, lives with her husband and three children at the Boca Chica naval air station. Lt. Powell, formerly of Tewksbury, was given a commendation by the navy for his heroic work in helping to save the lives of the crew and officers, and also the air ship, badly damaged in a violent hurricane off the Keys, on its way to Georgia, last October.

Mrs. Frank Kefferstan, 115 Haverhill st., is confined to her home with a leg fracture, which she suffered last week in a fall at her home.

Punchard High

By JANET THOMPSON

Junior Red Cross

Miss Betty Crummey, representative of the National Red Cross chapter, visited Punchard last Wednesday to speak to the newly-formed Junior Red Cross club. Miss Crummey described various activities, national and international, being carried on by Junior Red Cross clubs in other high schools and also brought for inspection many sample projects.

A number of the girls in the club have spent many hours at the Andover Red Cross headquarters, preparing material for the current Red Cross drive. Charlotte Kelley is the club chairman and Miss Luella M. Dunning, faculty supervisor.

Barnard Essays

All seniors and various junior and sophomore classes are preparing their outlines for the annual Barnard essay-writing contest. The essays will be written at an all-day session at Punchard some day next week.

Exchange Play

Several Punchard drama students presented a one-act exchange play, "A Game of Chess," at Marblehead High, Friday, Mar. 2. The members of the cast, Thomas McNulty, Charles McCullom, George Peters, and Robert Gaskill, were coached by Mervin E. Stevens of the Punchard dramatics department.

Notes

The Punchard portals closed at noontime Tuesday in honor of the undefeated basketball team. A large cheering section journeyed into the Boston Garden to root the boys to victory in their game with Hanover in the Eastern Massachusetts Tech tournament.

Despite the inclement weather, the Punchard juniors held a very successful paper drive Sunday, netting approximately \$285.

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Sylvia K. Goldman to Louis L. Ellenson et ux, Main st. and Castle Heights rd.

Need Registrants In Home Nursing

The opening of the Red Cross home nursing course announced for Mar. 1, was postponed because the required number of registrations had not been received.

As soon as the minimum enrollment has been reached classes will begin and those already registered will be notified.

The aim of the civil defense program is a person in each home capable of giving ample nursing care. "We feel that we shall have made a creditable beginning if we have certified 75 people in Andover by June 30," says Miss Helen

Woodbury, co-chairman of the home nursing committee with Mrs. Walter C. Wilson.

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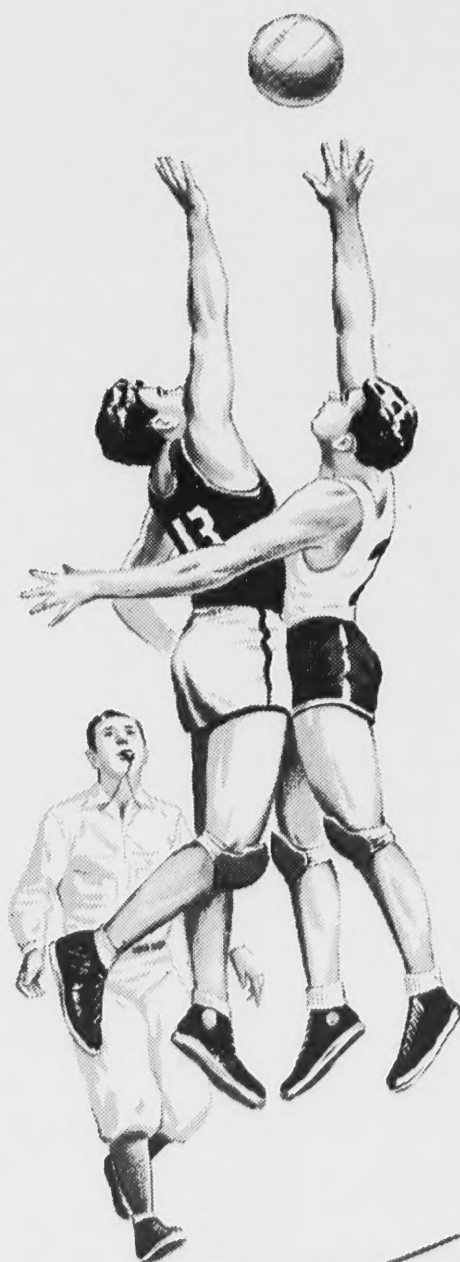
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A Tax To Repeal

The personal property tax on household furnishings and personal effects is one that is not and cannot be enforced, reports the special commission on taxation which has been making a study of the inequalities in the state's tax structure. Its recommendation for a repeal of the levy as one that is impossible of fair administration should meet with general approval.

Not only does the commission denounce it as "a major harassment to taxpayers, assessors and collectors alike," but it adds that it results in only small, scattered revenue.

Application of the law varies with different communities. In Andover the assessors have been alert to this source of revenue and for many years has made an attempt to see that this phase of the state law has been enforced.

As a result the town derives a portion of its income from this levy. Assessment of personal property tax here last year amounted to \$2,747,314., divided among 949 taxpayers. Assessment on stock in trade was \$276,970., machinery & equipment, \$215,748.; and all other including home furnishings, \$2,254,560. Real estate was assessed \$17,608,085., making a grand total of \$20,355,399. Of this amount, personal property assessment was about 11 percent.

The entire tax load was shared by 3579 taxpayers, of whom 2630 paid on real estate only, 386 on personal property only, and 536 who paid both. The personal property tax was paid by 26.5 percent of the taxpayers.

While there is a statutory exemption of \$1000 on personal property it seems fair to assume that a much larger number should be assessable, yet there are many who have never heard of the tax and others who believe that Andover is the only place where it is assessed.

Because of the unequal distribution of this levy and other objectionable features enumerated by the commission, its elimination would without question remove from the tax structure "a source of annoyance" to taxpayers, assessors and collectors alike.

Attend Town Meeting

Faced with a substantial increase in the tax rate, the town meeting Monday night should draw a large number of voters prepared to give careful consideration to every item in the town warrant.

Appropriations for two new school buildings and a drop in the amount coming back from the state will account for part of the increase. Due to rising costs there will be an increase in the ordinary departmental expenses, and another item will be the recommended salary increases for town employees. Amounts asked in the special articles are much reduced in comparison to last year.

While town officials are making every effort to keep expenses down, studies of the budget and special articles in connection with all phases of the tax structure have resulted in forecasts of a jump of \$4 to \$7 in the town's \$36 tax rate. Town fathers may have a plan to offset part of this added load but from all indications a large increase can be expected.

Voters of the town hardly need be reminded that it is their money that is being appropriated and should be present Monday night to see that only the most essential projects are approved.

The real measure of our wealth is how much we should be worth if we lost our money.—Unknown.

CAPSULES

IODINE -

Iodine is not a liquid, but a solid. What most people call iodine is really Tincture of Iodine and to make it the iodine crystals are dissolved in alcohol. If you have some Tincture of Iodine at home, be sure to keep it tightly stoppered. Otherwise, some of the alcohol will evaporate, changing the strength of the remaining Tincture of Iodine.

A small amount of iodine in the body is essential for good health. The body of a person weighing 150 pounds contains about 1/4000th of a pound of iodine. Most of this iodine is found in the thyroid gland.

A deficiency of iodine is responsible for the condition called goiter, which is an enlargement of the thyroid gland. It is interesting to note that centuries before the discovery of iodine doctors were prescribing burnt seaweed, which is rich in iodine, for the treatment of goiter.

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Down the Years with The Townsman

30 Years Ago—March, 1901

Town meeting appropriates \$116,505 including appropriation for new road roller, new steam fire engine and additional fire alarm boxes. This extravagant action, we say editorially, promises bigger tax bill next August.

Town officers elected: Abraham Marland, town clerk; George A. Parker, treasurer; William G. Goldsmith, Samuel H. Boutwell and John S. Stark, selectmen, assessors and overseers of poor; Charles E. Abbot, board of health; Mrs. L. A. Wilson, Mrs. Ella S. Merrill and John L. Brewster, school committee three years; Charles H. Shearer, school committee two years; Lewis T. Hardy and John W. Bell, board of public works. License question: Yes 41, No 202.

Residence of John L. Smith on High st., piped for 35 gas lights, and house of Lewis T. Hardy on Maple ave., for 38 lights.

Andover Ice Co., has harvested good crop of ice and is prepared to supply people of town at regular prices and with courteous treatment.

Until further notice fire department will answer all boxes on the first alarm.

A beautiful bunch of violets from the greenhouse of J. H. Playdon has kept the air in The Townsman office fragrant during the past week.

Employees of The Townsman thank Mr. Campion and Corner grocery for delicious specimens of fancy navel oranges he advertises this week for \$2.25 a box.

25 Years Ago—March 1926

Lavish appropriations at town meeting expected to result in record-breaking tax rate. \$90,000 voted for library alterations, \$40,000 to come out of tax levy and \$50,000 to be raised by sale of bonds; \$20,000 added to highway appropriation to cover unexpected cost of snow removal; moonlight schedule of street lighting abolished and contract for dark-to-dawn lighting approved; \$28,000 for purchase of water mains laid by American Woolen Co., in Shawsheen voted; also \$2700 for ambulance. Andover has been using Lawrence ambulance. Latter article sponsored by John F. O'Connell carried through almost unaided as the result of his carefully prepared figures.

P. A. barber shop on Main st., damaged by fire caused by carelessly thrown cigarette.

Telephone company gives interesting demonstration in town hall on how to use a telephone.

John Buss and William Davis have returned to town after spending several weeks in Florida.

10 Years Ago—March 1941

Town appropriates \$622,783., of which \$13,500 is for new ladder truck and \$2750 for police two-way radio.

Punchard Alumni introduces some zany firemen and lively features at annual stunt night.

William C. Coutts, Andover's oldest man who observed 91st birthday last July 17, dies.

School committee votes to transport Ballardvale fifth and sixth graders to Stowe school because of decrease in enrollment; elects James J. Hart regular teacher; appoints committee to study salary schedule.

Dodge DeLuxe coupe \$825. Fluid drive \$25 extra.—Ad.

INTERNATIONAL WHIRLIGIG — By John Fisher

Stalin, More Than Allies, Needs Breathing Spell

Stalin, far more than the re-animated Allies, needs the breathing spell of another four-power conference.

He urgently requires a new propaganda device to hoodwink the apprehensive Russian public as to his pacifist intentions and to stroke the fur of his jittery and hesitant puppets.

His worried proconsuls foresee danger for themselves should their armies be employed as the Kremlin's shock troops to batter Tito. Such use would be contrary to the national interests of the Soviet satellites.

Their leaders are smart enough to realize that in an armed conflict with Yugoslavia, they'd "be damned if they do and damned if they don't."

Should the doormat states emerge victorious but bled white, the Soviet Union would be the scot-free gainer. Should their ears be pinned back by Tito or should they pull down their heads a world war—in either case—they would be done for.

Their already feeble economies and their divided peoples would not stand firm. The strain followed by a crash would result in the downfall of any current Red regime that involved its weak country in war.

Their Hearts Aren't in It

Of course, at the moment each stooge is out-Heroding Moscow in snarling at Belgrade. This noisome fury is a parlor trick to convince the Kremlin of its loyalty. But it is doubtful that any satellite nation or government really wants to see Tito utterly squelched.

The Rumanian government, for example, recently plastered the billboards of Bucharest with posters blasting the Balkan rebel. Overnight chalk was scrawled on the official bulletins saying, "Maybe Tito is a gangster but those in Moscow are worse."

Even cringing Rumanian rulers secretly resent light-fingered Russia's stealing Bessarabia and Northern Bukovina. They want these kidnapped provinces returned.

Should the one big Communist, who told off Stalin, now go down, no Communist boss outside the U. S. S. R. ever could hope to be able to hold fast to some national right against super-greedy Russian imperialism. The bell that tolls for Tito will toll for Mao, Gottwald and every other ambitious satrap.

War Would Bring Bankruptcy

Should Kremlin bayonets drive unwilling satellites into the front lines against Yugoslavia, their rickety economic systems would topple. Collectivization of farms and nationalization of industry are far from either being completed or successful. Bureaucrats—saturated with Leninist doctrine but weak in industrial know-how—have failed at production.

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Copper mining became so bogged down in Bulgaria that Russian engineers had to be sent in to clear up the mess. Sabotage erupted in the Shumen collective farm belt. A similar wave of destruction struck Hungarian factories and Rumanian oil wells.

The once highly skilled Czechs are so fagged out by ever-increasing output norms that poor quality work, absenteeism and strikes have hampered the Skoda munitions plants. At a large metal factory fatigued workers complained, "Once we were capitalism's exploited workers but now we are Communism's slaves." Newspapers are compelled to publish the names of "slackers" who have been condemned by the courts.

Weary, disillusioned, hopeless, embittered workers have scant spirit left for all-out war effort.

Not Even Sure of Russian Help

Should Prague, Sofia, Bucharest, Budapest and the rest be lashed by Moscow into attacking Belgrade, none of these pawns have any assurance of complete Soviet backing.

Surely the big dupe in Peiping hasn't received aid from Russia commensurate with the price it's paying in Korea. Russian submarines and Russian-driven planes are not trying to restrain MacArthur's forces from decimating Peiping's best trained armies.

While Mao Tze-tung is deeply engaged in Korea in pouring his limited prize troops into a bottomless death trap, sabotage has broken out in China proper. Executions and Draconian punishments have been extended to stop what the Central People's government calls the "wolves of the American and Chiang Kai-shek bandit groups."

If Balkan and Central European Red countries are now wracked by sabotage and other deterrents to production, how much more will they be harassed should they, like Communist China, have a war on their hands—a war in which sabotage merges into insurrection? The long-developing fear of becoming absolute pawns of selfish Russian imperialism is the basis

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WEST PARIS

Mrs. Sarah Lewis, Correspondent

Altar Flowers

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Meeting

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10th Wedding Anniversary

Sgt. F/C and Mrs. John Rooks celebrated their 10th wedding anniversary at their home on Lincoln st., last Saturday evening. A group of friends spent the evening with them and presented them with a gift. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doyle of Chandler rd., spent Sunday with their son, Fred Jr., a student at Yale Medical school, New Haven, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Duguid have returned to their home on Lowell st., after enjoying a two weeks' automobile trip through Texas, California and the South.

Arthur Johnson has returned to his home on High Plain rd., from the Lawrence General hospital where he was a patient.

Mr. and Mrs. James Byrnes and daughter, Dorothy, of Lowell st., are enjoying a vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. George Putnam and children of Rochester, N. H., were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leverett Putnam of Lowell st.

William Stewart of Washington, D. C., spent the weekend with his family on High Plain rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sanborn and family of Chandler rd., have moved to Shrewsbury.

Miss Julie Brine has returned to her home on Lowell st., after spending the past three weeks with friends in Ames, Ia.

Donald VanRoosen of Lowell st., spent the weekend with his parents in Manchester by the Sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chadwick of Lowell st. attended the sophomore entertainment "In Spirit of Ourselves" which was presented at Mt. Holyoke college last Friday night.

Mrs. Gordon Gibbons and son, Scott of Maidstone, England are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ramsay. Mrs. Gibbons is the former Virginia Ramsay.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Madison of Fitchburg, have returned home after spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Dow of Beacon st.

Mrs. John Ozoonian of Osgood rd. recently visited with relatives in Nashua, N. H.

Mrs. George Stevenson of Shawheen rd. has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Bruce Spencer of Portsmouth, N. H.

TAKING BASIC TRAINING

Marine Private Herbert C. Otis of 70 Summer st., is stationed at the marine corps recruit depot in Parris Island, S. C., where he is undergoing basic training. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert H. Otis, a graduate of Pynchard high school, and was a student at Coburn institute, Waterville, Me., at the time of his enlistment Feb. 1.

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Getting ready for a whirl around the roller skating rink at the Youth Center are these smiling youngsters, from left to right, Jack Wright, Janet Metcalf, Bernard St. Jean, Sylvia Zalla and Allan Hughes.

INTERNATIONAL WHIRLIGIG

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for a new spirit of nationalism that is rapidly growing in puppet states. Communists recently have quitted the party in France, Italy and now in Great Britain because they refuse to promise to fight for Russia in a war against their own countries.

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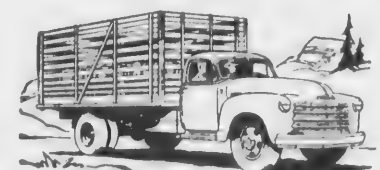
Miss Emily Gierasch, a student at Wheaton college, is on the dean's list for grades of distinction. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gierasch, Hidden field, she is a graduate of Abbot academy.

WOMAN'S UNION

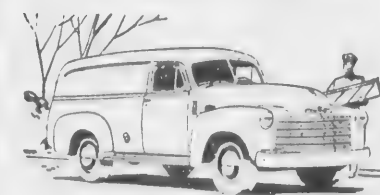
The Woman's union of the Free church will hold a rummage sale and bakery sale in the lower parish house Saturday, Mar. 17. The rummage sale is under the direction of Miss Ina Petrie. Clothing and other articles may be left at the church at any time. Mrs. Bessie Myles is chairman of the bakery sale.



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IN MOCK UN ASSEMBLY

Miss Lura Jane Noss, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Frederick B. Noss of Elm st. is taking part in an all-day mock United Nations assembly at Oberlin college, Saturday, Mar. 10. Miss Noss, who is a sophomore, will be a member of the Bolivian delegation.

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Baptist Church

ROY E. NELSON JR., Minister

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Church school, all departments, 10:45 a.m. Nursery hour, 10:45 a.m. Morning service of worship. Sermon by the pastor, Rev. Roy E. Nelson Jr., "Christ, the Denied and the Betrayed." Music by two choirs. All are welcome. 6:15 p.m. Baptist Youth Fellowship. Miss Irene Lawson will be the leader.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Cottage prayer meeting at the parsonage, 24 Central st. Subject: "The Abundant Life." All are welcome. 6 p.m. Annual banquet of the Friends circle.

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Meeting of the membership committee in the church parlor. The Deaconate Board will meet following the committee meeting.

Thursday: 8 p.m. Adult choir rehearsal.

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Free Church

REV. LEVERING REYNOLDS JR., Minister

Friday: 7 p.m. Boy scout troop 72.

Saturday: 9 a.m. Pastor's class for members of the church school. 8 p.m. Square Dance sponsored by Margaret Slattery class. Miss Margaret Laurie and Miss Gladys Gill co-chairmen.

Sunday: 9 a.m. Meeting of the board of trustees. 9:30 a.m. Church school. 11 a.m. Nursery class for children whose parents wish to attend church. 11 a.m. Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. 4 p.m. Pastor's class for young people and adults. 6:30 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. May circle in the parlor. Scrap books will be made. 8 p.m. The men of the South church will be guests of the Free church Men's club.

Thursday: 7 p.m. Cub pack 72 monthly meeting. 10 a.m. All day sewing meeting. 3:40 p.m. Junior choir rehearsal. 7:30 p.m. Senior choir rehearsal.

Christ Church

REV. JOHN S. MOSES, Rector

Sunday: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 9:30 a.m. Sunday school; 11 a.m. Confirmation and sermon. 11 a.m. Nursery class. Preacher: Bishop Nash. 5:45 p.m. Young People's Fellowship.

Monday: 7:30 p.m. The Friendly Guild.

Tuesday: 5 p.m. Choir rehearsal; 8 p.m. Vestry meeting.

Thursday: 10 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:30-3 p.m. Woman's Auxiliary Sewing. 12:30 p.m. Luncheon. 7:45 p.m. Evening service and address. Preacher, Rev. Lewis H. Houghton of Haverhill.

Cochran Chapel

REV. A. GRAHAM BALDWIN, Minister

Sunday: 11 o'clock service of worship. Rabbi Herschel Levin of Temple Emanuel, in Lawrence, will be the speaker. Communion Service at 12 o'clock.

West Parish

REV. JOHN G. GASKILL, Minister

Friday: 7:30 p.m. Meeting of the officers of the brotherhood.

Sunday: 8:45 a.m. Brotherhood Communion breakfast to which all men are invited. Mr. Charles Wallace, a layman of the Quincy Point Congregational Church will speak. 10:30 a.m. Children's church service with Barbara Durgerian and Hartwell Abbot assisting the pastor, and Billy Dubocq and Harold McGrath as ushers. Classes for adults and young people. 11 a.m. Morning service of worship, Brotherhood Sunday with members of the West Parish church brotherhood participating in the service. Music by the choir and sermon by the pastor, "The Book to Live By."

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Wednesday: 3 p.m. Children's choir rehearsal; 7 p.m. Augmented choir rehearsal.

Friday: 6:30 p.m. Chicken pie supper served to the West Parish church brotherhood. Regular monthly meeting will follow, with the Rev. Egbert W. A. Jenkinson of Methuen as guest speaker. His subject will be "England 1950".

South Church

REV. FREDERICK B. NOSS, Pastor

Friday: 7:15 p.m. Troop 73, boy scouts.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Church school and junior church; 9:30 a.m. High school class; 10:45 a.m. Morning worship and sermon; 10:45 a.m. Church kindergarten; 11:15 a.m. Educational motion pictures; 6 p.m. Young People's society.

Monday: 1:15 p.m. Week-day school of the Christian religion; 7:30 p.m. Confirmation class at the parsonage.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Bible class at the parsonage; 8 p.m. Ping pong club.

Wednesday: 6:30 p.m. Dinner for church visiting group. Speaker, Rev. Kendig B. Cully of First Congregational church, Haverhill; 7:30 p.m. Church choir.

Thursday: 10 a.m. All-day sewing of the Friendly Service Group of the Women's Fellowship; 3:30 p.m. Junior choir; 8 p.m. A. P. C. sorority. Lenten vesper service. Speaker, Rev. Roy Pearson of Lexington.

Union Congregational Church

REV. PAUL E. CALLAHAN, Minister

Friday: 6:30 p.m. Junior choir practice. 7 p.m. Friendly Guild meets at the home of Mrs. William McIntyre.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 11 a.m. Morning worship. 5 p.m. Pastor's study class. 7 p.m. Pilgrim Fellowship.

Thursday: 7 p.m. Senior choir practice.

The North Parish Church

(Unitarian - North Andover)

REV. E. A. BROWN JR., Minister

Saturday: 7 p.m. American Unitarian youth in the vestry.

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Junior choir rehearsal; 10 a.m. Church school in the vestry; 11 a.m. Morning service of worship - Rev. Ernest A. Brown Jr., preacher; 7 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

Monday: 7:45 p.m. United Churchmen's fellowship at St. Paul's.

Christian Science Society

(6 Locke Street)

Sunday: 11 a.m. Sunday school. 10:45 a.m. Church service. Subject of lesson sermon: "MAN."

OBITUARIES

GEORGE H. MOORE

George H. Moore, retired engineer of the B & M railroad, died Mar. 2, at his home on Sunset Rock rd. He was 64.

A native of Raymond, N. H., he lived in Somerville for 30 years prior to coming to Andover seven months ago.

He is survived by his widow, Alice B. (Morse) Moore; two daughters, Mrs. Hazel A. Proudfoot of Bedford and Mrs. Grace E. Hayes of Andover, and three grandsons.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Lundgren funeral home with services at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. Frederick B. Noss, pastor of the South church. Burial was in Spring Grove cemetery.

MRS. HARRY MURPHY

Mrs. Mary (Sweeney) Murphy, wife of Harry Murphy of Whitman, died Saturday at her home following a short illness. A former resident of Andover she resided at 32 Chestnut st., and attended St. Augustine's church.

Surviving besides her husband are three sisters, Mrs. John W. Crawford of Tilton, N. H., Mrs. Alfred Nicoll and Miss Margaret E. Sweeney, both of Andover; a brother, John Sweeney of Quincy; also several nieces and nephews.

The funeral was held Wednesday from the late home with a solemn high mass of requiem at 9 o'clock in Whitman. Burial was in Whitman.

FILM FESTIVAL

Attention is called to the Tuesday evening program of the film festival, postponed because of town meeting, at the same hour as previous programs in the series. The subject for this third evening, Mar. 13, is "Human Relations Are Important," and five films will be shown on the always interesting problems of people and their everyday adjustments to other people.

The public is cordially invited to this and the remaining programs in the series.

St. Joseph's Church

(Ballardvale)

Sunday: 9 a.m., Mass.

Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Lenten Devotions.

St. Augustine's Church

REV. P. J. CAMPBELL, Pastor

Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Lenten Devotions.

Friday: 3:30 and 7:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross.

Saturday: 4 to 6 p.m. and 7:30 to 9 p.m., Confessions.

Sunday: Masses: 6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 9:45 a.m., and 11:30 a.m.

Daily Mass: 7 and 7:45 a.m.

Methodist Church

REV. ALLEN F. KERNS, Minister

Sunday: 9:30 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. Morning worship. "Tainted Gold," sermon. 3 p.m. Men's club. 7 p.m. Methodist Youth Fellowship.

Monday: 8 p.m. Meeting of official board.

Wednesday: 8 p.m. Young women's club meeting in parsonage.

JOHN J. STEWART

John J. Stewart, 43 Elm st., died Feb. 28, at the U. S. Veterans' hospital, Rutland, following a long illness.

A native of Andover, and a veteran of World War I, he was employed on the Boston & Maine railroad as a fireman. He was a member of St. Augustine's parish, and Andover post, V. F. W.

He is survived by a brother, Police Officer William J. Stewart of Andover; three sisters, Miss Alice Stewart of Andover, Miss Grace Stewart of Boston and Mrs. Helen Smith of Andover.

The funeral was held from the Lundgren funeral home Saturday with a high mass of requiem at 9:30 o'clock in St. Augustine's church. Burial was in St. Augustine's cemetery.

The bearers were: James Lynch, Leonard Ronan, James McGowan, William Lowe, George Smith and Harold Gurry.

A color squad and firing squad of local veterans attended the funeral.

REV. D. J. O'MAHONEY, O.S.A.

The Rev. D. J. O'Mahoney, O. S. A., a former pastor of St. Augustine's church, died Mar. 2, at Philadelphia, Pa.

On the threshold of his 95th year he had served 70 years as a priest, 30 in Lawrence and eight as pastor in Andover. At the time of his death he was the oldest member of the Augustinian Order.

At the funeral services in St. Mary's church, Lawrence, Tuesday morning which were attended by a large number of the Catholic clergy and residents of Greater Lawrence to whom he was known as "Father Dan," the Very Rev. P. J. Campbell, O. S. A., pastor of St. Augustine's served as deacon. Burial was in the Augustinian lot in St. Mary's cemetery.

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Team Won Lost

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Track

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Easter Egg Hunt At Park March 24

Plans for an Easter egg hunt to be held at the park at 2 p. m., Saturday, Mar. 24, are being made by the Andover Recreation committee.

Revived last year after a lapse of several years, the Easter egg hunt attracted a great number of children and spectators as 12,000 pieces of candy—in lieu of eggs—were being rounded up.

Organizations that so far have signified their intention of helping in this event are: Andover post, 8, American Legion and its auxiliary, the Andover Service club, the Youth Center, and the police department.

\$3000 Fire Damage In N. Main St. House

Fire caused damage estimated at \$3000 in three apartments at 165 N. Main st., Sunday.

Starting from a defective oil burner in the second floor apartment of John J. Fairburn it spread to the walls and ceiling in the bedroom and living room. Smoke caused damage to rooms on the third floor, and water seeped into the first floor apartment of Mrs. Mary Skea. The latter, who was ill in bed, was assisted from the building by neighbors.

Box 54 was sounded for the fire at 3:43 p.m. and the relief came in at 4:45 p.m. The building is owned by Mrs. Rita Darby.

Named To Harvard Medical Faculty

Dr. Walter Morton Grant, a former resident of Morton street, has been appointed to the faculty of the Harvard Medical school as assistant professor of ophthalmic research, effective July 1.

The son of Dr. and Mrs. William V. Grant of Kenilworth st., he graduated from Punchard and Phillips academy and received his B. S. and M. D. degrees from Harvard.

He interned at the Henry Ford hospital in Detroit and later joined the staff of the Harvard Medical as assistant in ophthalmic research. He has published several articles on the eye.

GREAT BOOKS

The great books discussion group will meet at 7.30 p. m., on Tuesday, Mar. 13. The three plays by Aristophanes, "Lysistrata," "The Birds," and "Clouds" will be discussed at this time.

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St. Augustine's Pupils To Present Irish Revue

Pupils of St. Augustine's school will present an Irish Revue at the Memorial auditorium Saturday afternoon and Sunday evening. The Saturday performance at 2 p.m. will be for children and adults, the Sunday performance at 8 p.m. will be for adults.

The program will be a variation from those of the past. In Part 1 there will be songs and dances by Grades 1, 2 and 3 with a specialty number by Jane Simeons and John Farragher.

An operetta, "Kathleen, The Maid of Killarney," will be presented in Part 2. In the cast are: Marie McKeon, Shelia Conlin, Daniel Murphy, Ellen Lawlor, Paul Deschane, Francis Nelligan, Patricia Gurry, Lawrence Riley, Mar-

garet Middleton, John McAllister, John Lucey, Charles Coyle, Robert Leete and Paul Cronin.

Specialties will be presented by Robert Walsh and Joseph Pellegrino; and by Grades 4, 5, 6 and 7.

During the interlude Grade 8 will present "Roses from the South," with the following participants; Elaine Connors, Shelia Collins, Maureen Milne, Maureen Scanlon, Betty Lou Simeone, Lorraine Des-Roches, Patricia McNulty, Mary Lynch, Geraldine Sheard and Ellen Lawlor.

A. P. C. SORORITY

The Alpha Phi Chi sorority of the South church will hold a Lenten vesper service in the vestry at 8 p. m. Thursday, Mar. 15. The Rev. Frederick B. Noss will conduct the service. The Rev. Roy M. Pearson of the Hancock Congregational church in Lexington will be the speaker. The sorority extends a welcome to all who wish to attend.

The book review group of the sorority will meet at the home of Mrs. George Collins, 38 Maple ave., at 8 p. m., Friday, Mar. 9. Mrs. James Doyle has prepared a review Kon-Tiki. Mrs. Noss is group leader.

The poise and personality class will meet at 8 o'clock tonight in the church vestry.

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Young Women's Group

The young women's group of the Methodist church will meet Wednesday evening in the church vestry. It is hoped that an organization can be formed at this meeting. Serving as co-hostesses will be Mrs. Allen F. Kerns and Mrs. James Green.

Ballenteener Club

Members of the Ballenteener club are preparing for their first minstrel show to be presented in April. Mrs. Ralph Sharpe is serving as general director assisted by Mrs. Alma Marshall and Mrs. Robert Vogt. Mrs. Jagger is the pianist.

Rehearsals of the end men are held Mondays and the chorus rehearses Wednesdays.

Laymen Take Charge

In the absence Sunday of the Rev. Allen F. Kerns due to illness, the laymen of the Methodist church conducted the morning service. The male choir sang with Frank Holmes as organist, Lewis Nason, Calvin Seiferth and James Green gave the sermon, read the scriptures, responses and prayer.

Friendly Guild

The monthly meeting of the Friendly Guild of the Union Congregational church will be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. William McIntyre. Anyone wishing to join the blanket club sponsored by the guild are asked to contact Mrs. Roland Joy, Mrs. Alfred Webb or Mrs. James Schofield.

Youth Meeting

Members of the Pilgrim Fellowship of the Union Congregational church joined with the Andover Youth council in their meeting Sunday evening at the West Parish church.

PTA Meeting

The postponed meeting of the PTA will be held tonight at the Bradlee school.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Arkerson and family have sold their house on Marland road and have moved to Dover, N. H.

Miss Agnes McPhee of Tilton, N. H. recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Buckley of Chester st.

Miss Mary Taylor of Hall ave. visited relatives in Connecticut during the school vacation.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Green and Miss Harriet Schofield spent Sunday at Exeter, N. H.

Workers assisting Mrs. James Schofield recruiting donors for the blood bank included Mrs. Anthony Lumenello, Mrs. Frank Watson, Mrs. Albert Warner and Mrs. Elwyn Russell.

Mrs. George Walkup of Ballardvale rd., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walkup of Providence, R. I., formerly of Andover, who are the parents of a baby boy born recently.

Joseph O'Donnell, fireman apprentice in the navy and now stationed at Norfolk, Va., spent the weekend at his home on Center st.

Mrs. H. E. Mitchell and Mrs. Otis Pike of Melrose visited Mrs. Robert Mitchell of Tewksbury st., Monday.

Miss Margaret Hadley, supervisor of music in the Duxbury schools, spent the recent school vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hadley of Chester st. Those on the sick list include Mr. and Mrs. Charles Allen of Andover st., Mr. and Mrs. Richard O'Brien of Andover st., Mrs. Charles Walent of Andover st., and little Lois Nolin of River st.

PERSONALS...

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Swanton and daughter, Barbara, of Summer st. are enjoying a trailer trip to Florida.

Brooke Roberts of Abbot st. has returned from a vacation in Duxbury.

Mrs. John Buchan of Punchard ave. is spending a few days with her daughter, Betty, in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Albion Burt of Chestnut st. are recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar E. Larson of 23 Summer st. have been ill with the prevailing gripe.

Mrs. Ethel Hussey of 5 Chestnut st. left this week with Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Sutton of 119 Chestnut st. for a vacation in Florida.

Hartwell B. Abbott of Dascomb rd. has been ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sutton of Texas, formerly of Andover, are the proud parents of a new son.

Frederick Smith of Stratford rd. has been ill with the gripe.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hamdey and family of 101 Elm st. have moved to their new home at 2 Carisbrook st.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Smith of Stratford are spending a few weeks with relatives in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Miss Bernice Stimpson, of Limerick, Me., former teacher of mathematics in the junior high school, is spending a few weeks at the home of Miss Evelyn Parker of Maple ave.

Mr. and Mrs. William P. Doyle and Edward Doyle of Foster circle have returned from a week's stay in New York.

Mrs. George Sanborn of Hidden Field is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Stewart N. Fraser, 18 Walnut ave., has returned to her home, from the Lawrence General hospital, where she was a recent patient.

Frederick Erhardt, 66 Park st., has returned to work, following a recent illness.

Mrs. Ella R. Curtis, 69 Park st., is a patient at the Lawrence General hospital.

Mrs. John R. Sullivan, 61 Red Spring rd., has recovered from a recent illness.

Mrs. William F. Simeone has returned to her home, 19 Stratford rd., from the Lawrence General hospital where she had been a recent patient.

Marietta B. Amy, 4, has returned to her home, 35 Elm st., from the Lawrence General hospital where she had been a recent patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Higginson, 60 Chestnut st., have returned from a recent extended trip to Florida.

Mrs. Frederick Erhardt, 66 Park st., is recovering from a recent illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Abbot of Bartlet st., have been spending a few days at Pebble Beach, Cal.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Schlott of 87 Elm st., have returned from a trip to Miami, Fla.

Miss Barbara Greenwood, secretary to the superintendent of schools, is detained at her home on Morton st., by illness.

Births...

Johnston—A son, Joseph, Feb. 28, at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnston (Blanche Glowacki) of Gray rd.

Leavitt—A son, David Alan, Feb. 24, at Farmington, Me., to Mr. and Mrs. Carroll L. Leavitt (Mary Ellison.) The mother is formerly of Andover.

Warlick—A son, Louis Garry, Mar. 3 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Warlick (Dorothy Garry) of 75 Salem st.

Young—A son, Mar. 4 at the Lawrence General hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Allen S. Young (Shirley F. Bailey) of Bailey rd.

New Musical Series At Baptist Church

The spring series of special religious musical services at the Baptist church will be held six consecutive Wednesday evenings beginning Mar. 28.

Outstanding speakers will be heard at these services. They are: Mar. 28, the Rev. Archibald L. MacMillan of the Scotch Presbyterian church, Boston; Apr. 4, the Rev. William Turkington, known as the Irish evangelist; Apr. 11, the Rev. J. William Marson of Tremont Temple, Boston; Apr. 18, the Rev. Mr. MacMillan; Apr. 25, Pres. Herbert Gezork of the Andover-Newton Theological seminary.

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LEGAL NO

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 233,310
PROBATE COURT

Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of EDMUND BAER late of Andover in said county deceased.

A petition has been presented to said Court praying that ALBERT E. BAER of Methuen in said County be appointed administrator of said estate without giving a surety on his bond.

If you desire to object thereto, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the nineteenth day of March 1951, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
From the office of:
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411-412 Bay State Building
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JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register
8-15-22

Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 229,498
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Essex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of EDWARD P. NOYES of Andover in said County, an insane person.

The guardian of said ward has presented to said Court his first account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of March 1951, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one. JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
22-1-8

CENTRAL LEAGUE

In Division A this week St. Augustine's will meet Mt. Carmel at 8 p. m. Friday, and at 11.15 a. m. Saturday will play Essex No. 1 team.

In Division C at 11. a. m. Saturday St. Augustine's will meet Holy Trinity.

Playoff opponents and dates will be announced just as soon as the schedules are completed.

The annual communion breakfast will be held in the Central Catholic gym Sunday, Apr. 8.

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JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
8-15-22Commonwealth of Massachusetts
Docket No. 229,498
PROBATE COURTEssex, ss.
To all persons interested in the estate of EDWARD P. NOYES of Andover in said County, an insane person.

The guardian of said ward has presented to said Court his first account for allowance.

If you desire to object thereto you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Lawrence before ten o'clock in the forenoon on the twelfth day of March 1951, the return day of this citation.

Witness, JOHN V. PHELAN, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirteenth day of February in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one. JOHN J. COSTELLO, Register.
22-1-8

CENTRAL LEAGUE

In Division A this week St. Augustine's will meet Mt. Carmel at 8 p. m. Friday, and at 11.15 a. m. Saturday will play Essex No. 1 team.

In Division C at 11. a. m. Saturday St. Augustine's will meet Holy Trinity.

Playoff opponents and dates will be announced just as soon as the schedules are completed.

The annual communion breakfast will be held in the Central Catholic gym Sunday, Apr. 8.

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The Punchard Alumni Assn., is sponsoring a dance in the Memorial gym Friday, Mar. 9. Bob Clayton, disc-jockey, will spin the platters for the evening.

Tickets may be obtained at the door or from the following committee, Jane Sparks, Barbara Fowler, Irene Yancey, Sally Kelly, Ethel Hibbert, Phyllis Rapa, Richard Gould, James Ross and William Sparks.

HISTORIC DRESS REVUE

Mrs. J. J. Tavern, president of the Women's Fellowship of the South church has announced that committees are busily at work on the production "Historic Dress in America" to be presented at 8 p. m. Apr. 3, in Davis hall, Abbot academy. Chairman of production is Mrs. Tyler Carlton with the 1951 episode being staged by a Boston specialty shop. Miss May Elander is business manager.

WOMEN VOTERS TO MEET

A general meeting of the League of Women Voters will be held at 3 p. m. Thursday, Mar. 15, at Williams Hall, Phillips st. Miss Amy Tapping, a resource expert for the Hoover Commission who has served the government here and abroad will speak.

Mrs. Douglas Dunbar is in charge assisted by Miss Elizabeth Dean. Tea will be served. The public is cordially invited.

AT CHEMICAL CENTER

Capt. Bliss A. Price of Apple-tree lane has recently been assigned to the army chemical center, Maryland. A graduate of Punchard he has been in the service nine years, seeing duty in the European theatre and the Far East command. He is the holder of the Bronze Star with oak leaf clusters. He was recently a company commander in Korea. Mrs. Price with their two children are living in Plymouth.

LIBRARY NOTES

The library will close at 6 p. m., Monday because of the town meeting.

An interesting panel display on "The Architect Designs a House" is on exhibit at the library and will remain for the rest of the month. Loaned by the Museum of Fine Arts, Boston, it discloses the steps in turning out a complete home. One example is the work of John Radford Abbot, of Andover. Books on house plans are also on display and may be borrowed for home use.

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NOVEMBER CLUB

Guest night will be observed by the November club at the next meeting to be held at 8.15 p. m. Wednesday, Mar. 14, at the clubhouse.

Mrs. Ernest L. Wilkinson, president, will introduce Franc and Jean Shor who will present a delightfully different and interesting travelogue in dialogue intitled, "After you, Mr. Polo."

NO ANSWER

A farmer visited his son's college. Watching students in a chemistry class he was told they were looking for a universal solvent. "What's that?" asked the farmer.

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Snow Dog Kirby Grant—Elena Verdugo 1:55 4:50 7:45

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday—March 13, 14, 15

Bom Yesterday Judy Holiday—Broderick Crawford 3:05 6:05 9:05

March of the Wooden Soldiers Laurel & Hardy 1:45 4:45 7:45

Friday, Saturday—March 16, 17

Magnificent Yankee Louis Cathern—Ann Harding 3:15 6:10 9:05

Revenue Agent Douglas Kennedy—Jean Willes 1:50 4:45 7:40

Usual Saturday Morning Children's Movie at 10 o'clock

Feature—Gene Autry in "Loaded Pistols", Serial—First Episode of "Cody of the Pony Express", Cartoons—Other Short Subjects.



Election day scene at the Ballardvale fire station where the voters of precinct 3 mark their ballots. From left to right are precinct officers Arthur Hoffman, Roy Pearson and Clyde Mears, with Charles Murnane casting his ballot. (Look Photo)

The Vote By Precincts

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	1	2	3	4	5	6	Total
Moderator							
Arthur Sweeney**	636	403	392	287	316	438	2472
Town Clerk							
George H. Winslow**	642	419	402	305	336	451	2552
Selectman							
Roy E. Hardy**	645	394	397	286	318	439	2479
Assessor							
Roy E. Hardy**	631	389	391	276	312	432	2431
Board of Public Works							
Victor J. Mill, Jr.*	387	289	228	127	229	269	1529
William S. Titcomb	339	189	286	232	126	276	1448
P. Leroy Wilson**	513	295	229	188	244	255	1724
Board of Health							
Charles O. McCullom**	651	404	396	291	324	433	2499
Trustee Memorial Hall Library							
Ernest D. Walen**	622	386	384	284	316	427	2419
School Committee							
Gordon L. Colquhoun**	380	190	223	156	47	267	1263
Richard K. Gordon	206	174	118	115	40	95	748
Robert C. Vogt	138	97	95	43	269	86	728
Planning Board							
Kirk R. Batcheller**	603	379	378	275	307	423	2365
Andover Housing Authority							
Franklin K. Haggerty*	354	303	217	144	286	158	1462
William G. Quigley	276	124	162	127	67	220	976
Constable							
George B. Brown**	353	253	239	144	186	247	1422
George A. Dane**	618	378	372	254	304	413	2339
Chester J. S. Harnden	378	220	211	211	140	218	1378
George N. Sparks**	539	327	329	229	314	357	2095
Tenure of Office							
Yes	329	188	233	160	174	192	1276
No	319	211	140	114	130	231	1145

*Elected
**Re-Elected

Taxpayers Approve Salary Increases

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basis rather than an overall cost of living increase.

"This would have been a far more fundamental approach to the problem which still remains in need of study.

"We hope in the future that department heads, who have the right to set wages and salaries, will make appropriate studies of compensation conditions within their own groups, and thereby eliminate the need of forcing town employees to come with special articles to town meeting.

"The association recommends approval of the special committee's recommended increases."

The association disapproves the following: Article 7, \$1500 to repair Shaw property; 11, \$1300 to replace fire chief's car; 12, \$2500 for improvement of Lowell street near Argilla rd.; 13, \$14,000 to enclose Roger's brook between Whittier and Chestnut streets; 14, \$4700 to purchase land at Argilla road and Lowell street to make improvements there; 18, \$4500 to widen Shawsheen road; 19, \$1500 to widen Greenwood road; 24, \$2100 for lighting the library. It feels that

\$1000 this year and smaller sums later would solve the problem.

Among articles it approves are: 10, \$1447 to replace police cars; 16, \$2875 to improve Argilla road near Lowell street; 17, \$5000 for sidewalks; 21, \$12,000 for water extensions; 22, \$4750 to enclose Roger's brook on Chestnut street; 23, \$1000 for land between Haggerty's pond and Fish brook; 29, \$2500 for Central school playground improvement; 36, vote by secret ballot.



Exhibiting Paintings At Marblehead

The Marblehead art association is presenting this month an exhibition of oil paintings by Raymond H. Coon of Morton st. The exhibition was opened Sunday with a tea for members and invited guests, at which occasion Mr. Coon gave a delightful piano interlude. Among those present were Mrs. Eleanor Gulick Gutterson, formerly of Andover, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin E. Stevens, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Allison Morse. The paintings will be on display until Mar. 31.

Light Vote Cast In Town Election

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7.15 p. m., just 15 minutes after the polls closed. They were followed by precinct 1 at 7.43 p. m., precinct 2 at 7.46 p. m., precinct 6 at 7.55 p. m., precinct 4 at 8.03 p. m. and precinct 5 at 8.08 p. m.

The vote by precinct compared with the number registered, is as follows:

Pct.	Regist.	Voted	Pct.
1	1665	753	45.2
2	1444	490	33.9
3	1497	452	30.2
4	822	332	40.4
5	652	369	56.5
6	1238	466	36.7
	7318	2862	39.1

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VFW Nominations At Next Meeting

The regular meeting of Andover post 2128, V. F. W. will be held in the post room at 8 p. m. Thursday, Mar. 8. William Hulse, commander will preside.

Nominations of officers will open at this meeting and will remain open until the next meeting, at which time the election will be held. All members are requested to attend this meeting, as many matters of importance will be discussed. The national by-laws state all members must have their dues paid up in order to vote. They may be paid to Thomas P. Eldred, either by mail, or at the meeting.

OLD CLOTH NEEDED

Old blankets and pieces of woolen cloth are needed by the Animal Rescue League of Boston for use at its animal shelter. Any contributions will be greatly appreciated. Packages may be sent directly to the Animal Rescue League of Boston, 366 Albany st., Boston 18, or, if within the league's collection radius, they will be called for upon request. Telephone HAncock 6-9170.

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In spite of an unprecedented amount of illness in the community, 206 pints of blood were collected during the visit of the bloodmobile, one day at Shawsheen Mill, and two days at South church. Although this is short of the announced goal, Andover chapter is very grateful that the support of the community made it possible to meet the obligation so well under such a handicap. A number of places were forced to cancel their bloodmobile visits at the height of the epidemic.

Red Cross Collects \$6224 In Drive

Total for the fund drive at the close of the report day held at Andover National bank, Monday was \$6224.20, or approximately 45% of the quota, reports chapter treasurer John E. Gilcreast. This represents the bulk of the advance gift and residential solicitations.

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